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Applicant: Logan, et al.  
Serial No.: Herewith  
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Examiner:  
Title:

LOAD BEARING MEMBER FOR USE IN AN ELEVATOR  
SYSTEM HAVING EXTERNAL MARKINGS FOR  
INDICATING A CONDITION OF THE ASSEMBLY

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**


Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 97 and in compliance with Rule 56, Applicant hereby makes of record the items listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed items are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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